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Flight Officer WILLIAM PINE left last Tuesday after a 12-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pine of Niles.

He spent five days of his leave with his father in the Livermore mountains where he bagged the limit of deer.

He has been stationed at Victorville for the last two months piloting B-24's.

2/c cook THEODORE LIRA, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lira of Niles, arrived Wednesday, August 1, for a 17-day leave with his wife and their son, Theodore Nicholas, in Decoto.

He has been stationed in Los Angeles for two months preparing three meals a day for more than a hundred sailors.

For the remainder of his leave he will work as a clerk in the Duarte's Food Store in Niles where he worked before joining the Navy.

Pfc. JOSEPH OLIVERA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Olivera of Niles, wrote his niece, Mildred Olivera, that he is stationed in the Hotel New Yorker in Miami Beach, Fla.

In contrast to his 113 days as a German Prisoner of war, Olivera now goes swimming and deep sea fishing every day.

Pfc. CAESAR DI GIULIO is enjoying the sights of India, having been stationed in that far off land for the past two months. He says the monsoon season is over now and he doesn't mind the climate at all.

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, ITALY—(Special to the Register)—Private First Class DANIEL LEZAND, Niles, Calif., recently was awarded the Division Citation for outstanding performance of duty in Italy.

He served on the Fifth Army front in the 363rd Infantry Regiment of the 91st "Powder River" Division.

His mother, Mrs. Rose Lezand, lives at Niles.

Lt. EUGENE STEVENSON of the Navy returned last Thursday for a 30-day leave with his wife in Centerville, after 23 months in the South Pacific.

The former Centerville attorney was in charge of Navy personnel on Eniwetok in the Marshall Islands. He had served in one of the campaigns for that island group.

He had been a member of the Naval Reserve before the war and received the rank of lieutenant when he entered active service in 1942.

A native of Centerville, he is a graduate of Stanford University, and has been a member of the bar since 1923.

He will be re-assigned at the end of his leave when he reports for duty.

Cpl. DOUGLAS MARSHAL finished his Army career July 1, when he received his medical discharge, and returned to Niles where he plans to live.

He had been in the Army for three years and had served for six months in the battle for the Rhineland. He suffered shrapnel wounds in the knee and his feet were frozen badly while in this sector.

He will begin working for Pacific States Steel Corp., after spending a short vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Owen of Niles.

A. R. M. 2/c ROBERT CARY will leave next Friday after a 30-day stay with his mother, Mrs. Robert Cary of Niles.

He returned recently from 12 months of overseas duty in the South Pacific where he won the right to wear the Distinguished Flying Cross with three gold stars. He received the Purple Heart after his plane was shot down over Okinawa and he suffered shrapnel wounds. He took part in the first run over Tokyo last February and helped to sink the battleship Yamato on April 8.

EDWARD MOURA, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Moura, is now employed at the P. G. and E. after receiving his discharge from the army, following three years' service. He has received the Purple Heart for wounds received in Germany. Hospitalized for 8 months, he is glad to be back with his family again.

W.T. JOHN CRUZ SOUZA of Irvington and S.3/c ALVIN SANTOS of Mission San Jose left last Friday for San Diego after a 3-day leave with their parents.

The two boys were schoolmates at Washington High School and are now aboard the same ship.

ROSWELL ARMY AIR FIELD, ROSWELL, N. M., Aug. 8—(Special to the Register)—Destined for B-29 Super Fortress combat assignment, 2nd Lt. MELVIN C. LEAL, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leal, Warm Springs, Calif., has entered a

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DECOTO BOY KILLED IN AN AIRPLANE CRASH

News that their son, Sgt. Edward Anthony Caldeira, 23, has been killed in an airplane crash on Miranda Island reached Mr. and Mrs. Manuel S. Caldeira of Decoto last Thursday in a telegram from the War Department.

Although no other word has followed the brief telegram the family believes that he was on his way to a new post.

Sgt. Caldeira was a veteran of 24 months service in the South Pacific as a machinist.

A graduate of Washington High School in 1941, he worked as a defense worker for the Joshua Hendy Iron Works in Sunnyvale for two years before joining the Army.

He had been in the Army for almost three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldeira have another son, Pfc. Joseph R. Caldeira, who has been stationed in England for almost two years with the Medical Corps.

NAME COMMITTEES FOR BUREAU PICNIC

The Farm Bureau picnic committee on arrangements have appointed the following members on committees for the Annual Farm Bureau Picnic to be held on Sunday, August 26, 1945, at Linda Vista Park, Mission San Jose.

General chairman, Joe M. Rose, Jr., asst. chairman, Edwin Orloff.

Games and Contests, chairman, Pete Meyers; assistants, Wm. Ralph, Melvin Nielsen, J. R. Williams, Sam Ray.

Judges, chairman, Glenn Pierce, Theo. Nissen, A. E. O'Donnell.

Parking, chairman, Manuel D. Soite, Jr., Walter Holm, Tom Bettencourt.

Dances, chairman, Walter Block, J. R. Cronin, Mrs. Henry Kruse, Tom Greer.

Gate, chairman, J. R. Fry, Geo. Souza, Henry Kruse, Tom Nelson, Dick Kennedy, Jr.

Softball, chairman, Burley Doolley.

Guessing committee, Mrs. Walter Block, Mrs. J. R. Williams, Mrs. Fred Steiner, Mrs. Adeline Santos, Mrs. Wm. Griffith.

Awarding prizes, Joe Shinn, Edwin Orloff, A. E. O'Donnell.

RALPH CHAPMAN SOCIAL CHAIRMAN OF SPORTSMEN

Ralph Chapman was named social chairman for the year last Tuesday when the Newark sportsmen met for their regular session.

Chris Nickleson, Louis Smith and Joseph Machado were appointed on the standing committee which met with the newly appointed chairman last Wednesday. They discussed the final arrangements for the yearly dance which will be held September 8, at the Newark pavilion.

The committee will make its official report at the next meeting of the Sportsmen Club August 28, at Sophie's Restaurant in Newark.

EAGLES SET AUGUST 18 AS LADIES NIGHT

Date for the annual Ladies Night dance given by the Alvarado Eagles for their wives has been set for August 18 at the I. D. E. S. Hall in Alvarado, it was decided when the Eagles Aerie 1695 met last Tuesday night.

As part of the drive for membership, each of the clubmen will invite a friend as a prospective member of the organization. President Jack Holland is in charge of the dance and will appoint a committee to assist. Also discussed was the possibility of inaugurating a ladies auxiliary to the lodge.

'FRIDAY NIGHTERS' PICNIC AT ALUM ROCK PARK

"The Friday Night Club," a jolly group of Irvington youngsters in the seventh and eighth grades who have been meeting at the school on Friday nights for dancing and games, last Friday joined forces for a picnic and weenie roast at Alum Rock Park.

They were accompanied on the outing by four couples, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. George Scamman, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Robertson, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hiller.

The big hit of the evening was the homemade ice cream, made and contributed by the Bill Sinclairs.

The "Friday Nighters" are sponsored by the Irvington P.T.A.

MILITARY OFFICERS 'TAKE OVER' IN LOCAL TOWNS

Two-hundred Army and Navy officers of the Civil Affairs Holding and Staging Area, Presidio of Monterey, California, "took over" twenty towns in central California yesterday as part of a tactical military government maneuver—the first ever held.

Military Government companies consisting of twelve officers each have been assigned to the following towns in Washington township: Centerville, Newark, Niles, Alvarado. Each officer has been detailed to a particular job to which he is fitted both by virtue of his civilian background and eight months of intensive training in Military Government.

With the cooperation of local officials, local labor unions, local corporations, and local business, these teams are attempting to repair the "destruction, disaster, and wreckage" which follows the attack by assault forces.

OVER ONE HUNDRED PRESENT AT BIG REBEKAH MEETING

The four Rebekah Lodges of District 53, I.O.O.F., comprising Pleasanton, Alvarado, Niles, and Livermore, held a district meeting at I.O.O.F. Hall, Niles, last Friday evening, August 3, with the Niles Lodge as the hostess lodge. Over



ETHEL LOUDERBACK

one hundred Odd Fellows and Rebekahs were present, and among the distinguished guests present were Ethel Louderback, president of the Rebekah Assembly of California; Lester J. Bertsch, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of California; Mary R. Rewcastle, Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly of California; Lily L. Carren, treasurer of the Rebekah Assembly of California; Wayne Louderback, Grand Guardian of the Grand Lodge of California; Winifred Bertsch, Inside Guardian of the Rebekah Assembly of California; Ada G. Miller, district deputy president of District 70, Oakland; and Lena Moore, district deputy president of District 7, Elmhurst.

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 p.m. by Olive Pugmire, noble grand of Niles Rebekah (Continued on page 2)

DECOTO TO SPONSOR GIRLS' BASEBALL

Mrs. John Fletcher of Decoto was appointed last Friday by Manuel Seene, chairman of the Recreational Council, as director of the girls' baseball team sponsored by the council.

The team will consist of girls from the north end of Decoto who are interested in the game. As an added inducement the Council will provide all of the baseball equipment and baseball suits.

Plans will be made during the future meetings to organize a team of girls from the south side of Decoto.

DECOTO TO PLAY HAYWARD DRAYMEN

With a crowd of close to a hundred people expected to attend the game next Sunday, the Decoto A team will play against the Hayward Draymen on the Decoto Grammar School diamond, at 2 o'clock.

David Janeiro, manager of the A team, announced last week that people were showing a growing interest in the weekly games which are sponsored by the Decoto recreational Council.

The Decoto Red Caps, B class, under the management of John Ellezarray of Decoto, won over the Hayward Ravens with a score of 7 to 5 last Sunday when the two teams met at Bret Hart School in Hayward.

OLD TOWN SEES STRANGEST SHOOTING

'CHIC SALE' NOT SO GOOD AS A FORTRESS

The sun was shining, the birds singing, and on the hillside back of Niles cattle grazed peacefully.

Suddenly, down in the canyon, there was the sound of a shot. Then a man screamed.

The door of one of those small structures which used to be commonplace behind every house, and which still survive in Old Town, swung open and the man staggered out. His clothing was not completely readjusted. There was blood on his shirt, and pain, puzzlement—and fear—on his face.

Was someone trying to murder him while he sat blissfully, as men have done for centuries, and with scarcely a fatality, in the most innocent of occupations?

No. It wasn't a crime—or an attempted crime....

Sira Jahara is a boy of 13, who lives in Old Town, and like most boys he is fond of guns. He has a .22 rifle, but until yesterday he had no bullets for it.

Then a friend gave him two bullets and Sira went out to shoot. He lined up several empty bottles, probably to represent Japs, and hid behind an oak tree. He drew a bead

on the enemy and fired. Nothing happened.

Only one bullet remained. He looked about. That building over there! Although small and of Chic Sale type of architecture, it might have represented an enemy tank to Sira. It was bigger than a bottle, anyway, and he stood a better chance of hitting it with his one last bullet.

So, bazooka fashion, he raised his gun and fired.

How was he to know that the thing was occupied?

But it was. And in a moment Jesus Gonzalez emerged—frightened and bloody.

Gonzalez, however, was not severely injured. The accident happened at 2 o'clock. Gonzalez went into his house. Not until around 4 o'clock did he walk down town to see Dr. Buehler.

The doctor found that the bullet had grazed Gonzalez' right breast and struck his right arm. Neither of the wounds was serious.

However, Dr. Buehler called the sheriff's office in Hayward and deputies came to investigate. Their observation was that the shooting was purely accidental.

MAN DIES ON TELEPHONE POLE

Myron Smith, 57, of Hayward, was found dead yesterday, hanging to a telephone pole one mile east of the Niles S.P. depot.

Assumed to have succumbed to a heart attack, his body was taken to the Berge Mortuary Company at Niles. Funeral services are pending.

The body was first noticed by Jesse Martinez of Niles, S.P. section timekeeper.

SERIOUS AUTO WRECK AT NILES CANYON ROAD

An automobile accident which caused serious injury to four people but left a 10-month old baby unharmed, occurred Tuesday afternoon across from the Niles Canyon road when a car driven by Mrs. Robert Parker of Alameda collided with a truck belonging to R. R. Hicks of Palo Alto.

Those involved in the accident were Charles Slater, 1717 Santa Clara Avenue, Alameda, compound fracture of the right foot; his wife, Elizabeth, head injuries; their daughter, Mrs. Robert Parker, 427 Santa Clara Avenue, Alameda, also head injuries. Mrs. Parker's baby, Joan, was unharmed except for a slight bruise on her forehead.

PAST PRESIDENTS TO HOLD MEET IN HIRSCH GARDENS

Mrs. Roland Bendel, president, presided for the first time at a meeting of the executive board of the Past Presidents Assembly of Alameda County last Tuesday at the Leamington Hotel. She was luncheon hostess for the occasion, which was attended by 17 members.

It was decided to hold the first general meeting, a picnic, in the gardens of the home of Mrs. E. H. Hirsch on September 28. Mrs. Hirsch, as hostess, will be assisted by the past-presidents of the Country Club of Washington Township, of which Mrs. C. E. Martenstein is chairman.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL STARTS IN IRVINGTON

Next Monday, Aug. 13, will see the opening of the Vacation Bible School in Irvington, to continue through the next two weeks.

There will be three departments in which work for primary children will be conducted by Mrs. C. L. Patterson, work of the juniors by Miss Mary Van Winkle, and of the intermediates by Mrs. David Jacobson.

A picnic is being planned for one of the Saturdays during the time that the school is in session. In addition, there will be some form of recreation and refreshments every day. All of the children of the community are invited.

CENTERVILLE SCHOOL FIXES OPENING DATE

The Centerville Elementary School will open for the 1945-46 school year on Tuesday, Sept. 4.

The faculty will be the same as last year with one exception, Miss Rosalie San Filippo from San Jose State College, will replace Muriel Richards who has accepted a position in Millbrae.

NILES BUSINESS GETS FACE LIFTED

Work started this week on the store-front modernization of Bill's Place in Niles. As a result of an automobile leaping the curb and crashing into the front window, Dave Rosekrans, owner, has designed a new front to the building.

Using a modern motif, he has incorporated the use of indirect lighting plus an extensive utilization of color blending through the medium of neon tubing. Golden neon will play on the white stucco of the exterior trimmed in maroon.

NILES RESTAURANT COMMENDED BY HEALTH OFFICERS

"The International Kitchen is an excellent restaurant from the standpoint of sanitary facilities and methods of operation," stated Dr. W. L. Halverson and Dr. Clifford W. Mason, state and county health officers, in a press release concerning the recent tracing of several typhoid cases to the restaurant.

"This type of accident could have happened to any restaurant," the health officers stated. "When the International Kitchen reopens, its patrons need have no hesitancy in returning there to eat."

Evidence collected by health authorities, according to the press release, points to a person who was employed in the restaurant as the source of 15 cases. The former employee is a carrier of Type E typhoid. All of the cases reported are Type E and were among persons who had eaten at the restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Querner, owners of the International Kitchen, were commended by the health officers for their voluntary prompt closing of the restaurant as soon as they learned of the evidence that typhoid fever had been traced to their establishment.

The restaurant will remain closed for some time pending final investigations and re-employment of help.

OVER 200 ATTEND MEETING HONORING WORTHY GRANDS

Fuchsia lovers would have been thrilled had they attended the big joint meeting of several chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star, held last Wednesday at the Masonic Hall in Centerville, for the hall was decorated in all varieties and colors of the lovely flowers. There were corsages of fuschias worn by the matrons; there were table decorations of fuschias; and many of the women present wore fuschias as hair ornaments. It was all very colorful and gay.

The meeting was in honor of the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron Lillian Podesta of San Francisco, and of the Worthy Grand Patron Logan Cotton. Over 200 were present to do them honor. Orient Chapter was host for the occasion. Other chapters represented were Elmhurst, San Leandro and Hayward.

Worthy Matron Marguerite Caddero of Orient presided, assisted by Worthy Patron Bain Leask.

Mrs. Estelle Williams and her refreshment committee outfit themselves in providing mouth-watering homemade cakes of all kinds, served with ice cream.

FARM HOME MEMBERS HAVE PICNIC CELEBRATION

Thirty Alameda Farm Home Department members enjoyed barbecued chicken last Wednesday when they attended the annual picnic given at Alum Rock Park.

Chairman Mary Gastelum and her committee, consisting of Betsy Borghi, Mayme Perry, Mary G. Rodriguez, Belle Silva, Mary Amaral, and Adeline Santos provided the entertainment.

The picnic was the last official project for the department until September 26, when they will reconvene at the home of Mrs. Rose Pashote of Centerville.

ALAMEDA CITY MANAGER ADDRESSES ROTARY

Particularly severe readjustments following the end of the war will face city governments in California, City Manager Don McMillan of Alameda told Rotarians at their noon luncheon yesterday.

California cities have mushroomed during the war years. Assessed valuations of property in bay cities have declined due to tax-free war plants, adding to the burdens on assessed property.

George Mays was program chairman.

FARM BUREAU CHALLENGES OPA ON PRUNE PRICE

The clash between the OPA and California producers was intensified today when the California Farm Bureau Federation, on behalf of the state's prune growers, charged the Federal agency with an arbitrary attempt to violate the intent of Congress.

This was disclosed by Edwin Orloff, president of the Alameda county Farm Bureau, as he accused the OPA of side-stepping Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson by deliberately trying to roll back the price one and a half cents a pound on this year's crop.

Edwin Orloff pointed out that Secretary Anderson favored continuation of last year's price—or ten cents a pound—and that maintenance of this return to growers was necessary to insure harvesting 212,000 tons.

In fact, Orloff added, 11 cents would be a more equitable price in view of the labor shortage and the difficulties of getting the crop harvested.

Orloff also quoted Ray B. Wiser, President of the California Farm Bureau Federation, as saying that not only Secretary Anderson but California's entire congressional delegation was in favor of maintaining last year's price.

"President Wiser has advised us," said Orloff, "that the fight to stop the OPA from issuing an arbitrary 8½ cent grower ceiling will be carried all the way to the Office of the Director of Economic Stabilization, and even to the President, if necessary."

"Prunes are the only dried fruit on which the OPA still maintains a price ceiling at the grower level," said Orloff.

HOLY GHOST AT NEWARK SUNDAY

Crowds from all over the bay area are expected to attend the big Holy Ghost festival to be held at Newark this Saturday and Sunday.

The main feature will be the Sunday dinner following the High Mass. On both days there will be dancing, and a large carnival has been procured for the affair.

Cattle, produce and miscellaneous merchandise will be auctioned off.

BROWN'S STORE SOLD TO GILROY MAN

One of Warm Springs' oldest stores will be under new management August 18, when A. A. Lawrence of Gilroy takes over the Brown's General Merchandise store from Joseph S. Brown of Warm Springs.

The store was first opened by Brown when he returned from the first World War. He became postmaster of the Warm Springs post office during the same year and has retained the position since.

Brown plans to open an appliance business in Warm Springs and will also remain as postmaster.

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OPEN EVENINGS

ARMED FORCES

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streamlined five-week course at the AAF Training Command's B-29 transition school here to become an airplane commander.

His training here will be as a member of a three-man unit consisting of the airplane commander, who actually flies the sky dreadnaught as the first pilot, the pilot, who serves as his assistant, and the flight engineer, whose duty it is to "engineer" the battle plane to and from its bomb-dropping rendezvous.

After completion of the course here his three-man team will join the rest of the flying personnel of a B129 in an operational training unit for further schooling.

WITH THE 106TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN MAYEN, GERMANY (Special to the Register)—The important responsibility of selecting men to attend Army university centers is handled in the 422nd Infantry Regiment by a board of five specially qualified experts, of which 2nd Lieut. RICHARD LOPEZ, of Niles, Calif., is secretary and recorder. Army university courses in Europe, given at Paris and in Eng-

land, include liberal arts, commerce and business, engineering, law, history, agriculture, fine arts and journalism.

Cpl. FRED JOYCE returned July 23 for a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Joyce of Alvarado, after more than 18 months of overseas duty in England, where he served in the Air Service group.

He will report to Fort MacArthur at the end of his leave.

Mrs. Angie Roderick of Niles has learned that her brother, Pfc. GEORGE SOUZA, will receive a medical discharge from the Army for wounds suffered in Okinawa.

Pfc. Souza is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Souza, formerly of Niles, now of Hayward. He attended the Niles Grammar School and is a graduate of the Hayward High School.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE AND TRANSFER

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 3440 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and pursuant to the Rules and Regulations of the State Board of Equalization, notice is hereby given of the intention to transfer the stock and good-

will of the hereinafter described premises, together with a certain on-sale wine and beer license issued by the State Board of Equalization pursuant to the provisions of Section 7.2 of the A.B.C. Act of the State of California, and which premises are described as "Brown's General Merchandise," located on State Highway, Warm Springs, Alameda County, California.

1. That the name and address of the licensee and intended vendor is as follows:

Joseph S. Brown, Warm Springs, Alameda County, California;

2. That the name and address of the intended transferee is as follows:

A. A. Lawrence, Old Gilroy Highway, Gilroy, California.

3. That the address of the premises to which license has been issued is (Joseph S. Brown), State Highway, Warm Springs, Alameda County, California.

4. That the license intended to be transferred is on-sale wine and beer license No. A-2421H; that the stock in trade in said premises, intended to be sold, includes all stock in trade therein located, including groceries, meats, drugs, and wine and beer.

5. That no consideration is paid for said license and the purchase price of said stock in trade and good will of said "Brown's General Merchandise" will be paid and the

transfer made on the 18th day of August, 1945, at 10:00 A.M. of said day at the Law Office of E. A. Quaresma, Ellsworth Bldg., First Street, Niles, California, this 8th day of August, 1945.

JOSEPH S. BROWN, Intended Vendor.

E. A. QUARESMA, Attorney at Law, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California.

No. 11623 CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

We, the undersigned, CLEMENT BARCIDE, BEN BAYACA, MARCOS SANDOVAL, JULIE BUTED and MAGNO de la CRUZ, hereby certify that we are co-partners, transacting business at Centerville in the County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of UNITED FARMERS COMPANY; that we are the only persons having an interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 7th day of June, 1945.

CLEMENT BARCIDE, Residing at Centerville, California.

BEN BAYACA, Residing at RFD., 142, Newark, California.

MARCOS SANDOVAL, Residing at Centerville, California.

JULIE BUTED, Residing at Centerville, California.

MAGNO de la CRUZ, Residing at R.F.D., 142, Newark, California.

Endorsed: Filed Aug. 7, 1945.

G. E. WADE, County Clerk.

By RALPH A. RICHMOND, Deputy.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,) ss.

COUNTY OF ALAMEDA,)

On this 7th day of June, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-five, before me, ALLEN G. NORRIS, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared CLEMENT BARCIDE, BEN BAYACA, MARCOS SANDOVAL, JULIE BUTED and MAGNO de la CRUZ, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL) ALLEN G. NORRIS, Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

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REBEKAH MEETING

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Lodge. After a short business session, Ethel Louderback, president of the Rebekah Assembly was introduced by Ivy W. Cull, district deputy president of District 53. Mrs. Louderback then presided over the district meeting. She made the meeting a very interesting one, and the evening was enjoyed by all present.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs were present from all the different lodges in the Bay area, as well as from San Francisco, Orland, Live Oak, and other towns.

The hall was beautifully decorated by Irene Kirby and Anna Bradford, of the Niles lodge, and the dining hall was decorated by Olive Pugmire and her committee. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Ivy W. Cull, district deputy president of District 53, was general chairman of the meeting.

The next regular meeting of Niles Rebekah Lodge will be held Friday evening, August 17, Odd Fellows Hall, Niles, according to Olive Pugmire, noble grand.

The Friendly Sewing Circle will hold its next regular meeting at the home of Catherine Parry, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 4th.

Necona Theta Rho Girls Club No. 46, I.O.O.F., will hold its first regular meeting of the fall on Thursday evening, Sept. 13th, according to Jennie Mohn, assistant advisor of the club.

CENTERVILLE SCOUTS PUT ON NEW MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Centerville Scouts, meeting Tuesday, discussed the membership drive which started officially this week. The drive offers opportunities for new Scouts to obtain additional awards.

Scout committeemen also met Tuesday night and elected three new officers: Wayne Gordon, chairman of the troop committee; Jack Coley, treasurer; and Thomas Silva, activities committee.

Following the election the committee began an outline of the year's Scout activities.

FINAL RITES FOR VICTIM OF KNIFING

Nine o'clock mass was said last Monday at the Corpus Christi Church in Niles for Louis Rivas of Decoto. The funeral was held from the Borge Mortuary Parlors in Niles.

Final interment was in the Santa Clara Catholic Cemetery in Santa Clara.

Rivas was killed Monday, July 30, after a battle in which he was allegedly knifed by Gabriel Avila.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—NILES

A branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Regular services are held as follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 A.M. MORNING SERVICE 11 A.M. Wednesday Evening Testimony Meetings, 8 o'clock. Reading Room is open Tuesday and Saturday afternoons, 1 to 3, and Thursday evenings, 7 to 9. Church edifice is at Second and E Streets.

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To make syrup using corn syrup—Combine sugar, syrup and water and bring to boil.

To make syrup using honey—Combine sugar and water, bring to boil. Add honey, stir and bring to rolling boil. Skim. Honey imparts its characteristic flavor to fruits. It is best to use a mild flavored honey.

PROPORTIONS FOR SYRUPS

Either cane or beet sugar may be used for canning. The wartime canning rule allows one pound of sugar to 4 quarts of fruit.

Light Syrup—1 cup sugar to 3 to 4 cups water.

Medium Syrup—1 cup sugar to 2 cups water.

Heavy Syrup—1 cup sugar to 1 1/2 cups water.

Heat to boiling, stirring until sugar is dissolved.

For berries and juicy fruits, substitute fruit juice for all or part of water in making syrup.

Allow 3/4 to 1 cup syrup for each pint of fruit after it is packed in jar.

We recommend:

Canning of fruit juices without sugar.

Use for winter jelly making when your sugar supply is less depleted than during the canning season.

In using sugar stretchers for jellies, jams and preserves, we advise following specific recipes and directions. Frequently cooking time and texture are affected. If you use commercial pectins, be sure to follow the manufacturers' recipes.

Canned fruit holds its shape, color and flavor when sugar is used. But sugar is not necessary to keep fruit from spoiling. If your sugar runs short put up some fruit without sugar, and sweeten to taste when you serve. Process unsweetened fruits the same as sweetened.

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Sugar Cane—Ration Stamp Required 10-lb. Bag 59¢	PEACHES Fancy Freestone Elbertas 2 Lbs. 25¢
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Pectin M.C.P.—Package 3 for 25¢	FANCY LETTUCE Solid Heads—Lb. 8¢
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Jars Mason—Kerr or Ball—Qts Doz. 79¢	
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Catsup Tomato—Red Hill—(10)—13 1/2-oz. 12¢	PEANUT BUTTER Real Roast 1-lb. Glass 23¢ 2-lb. Glass 43¢	Cider Vinegar Old Mill—Quart Glass 15¢
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Prune Juice Sunsweet—32-oz. Glass 24¢	Ice Cream Mix Londonderry—15¢ Package 12¢	Shredded Ralston 12-oz. Carton 11¢
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The Woodside estate of Mr. and Mrs. William Ickes was the setting for a luncheon last week which turned out to be a profitable venture for the local branch of the Children's Hospital, the Toyon.

Mrs. A. W. Gorman of Niles, who was a guest at the luncheon, came back laden with all sorts of clothing which the luncheon guests had brought to contribute to the Toyon salvage shop, inasmuch as they had been unable to attend the benefit garden party given recently by Toyon at the Gorman home.

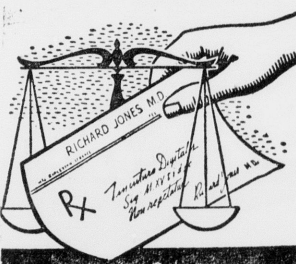
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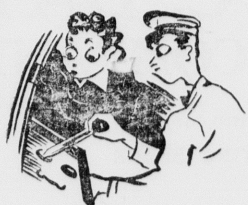
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Kimber Personnel Has Big Barbecue

Thirty-four employees of the Kimber Poultry Breeding Farm and their guests pooled both rationed and unrationed foods last Saturday for a barbecue get-together at the home of Vincent Pine of Niles.

Arrangements were made by Vincent Pine and Mrs. Morris Silva, who planned the games and the evening barn dance.

The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pine, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Heisdorf, Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Povar, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vishner, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Telles, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Terry, Miss Annie Schuler, Miss Emily Mesquite, Ray Barnum, Miss Margaret Ashton, Miss Gladys Rose, Mrs. Rose Addis, Wm. Gould, Lorraine Silva, Mildred Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pine, Mrs. Marianne Pine, Mr. and Mrs. William Enos and Mr. and Mrs. Mauzon Mathews and family.

Plans are being made for a future get-together of the employees at the Pine ranch.

The Dwight Thornburgs entertained at dinner and bridge last Saturday evening. Prize of the evening went to the couple with the highest combined score, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pond. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hird and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Brown of Centerville welcomed Miss Susan Ann Brown at the Alameda Hospital on August 3. Mrs. Brown and the new arrival came home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brown will join a group of Pleasanton friends tomorrow evening for dinner-dancing at the Hawaiian Gardens.

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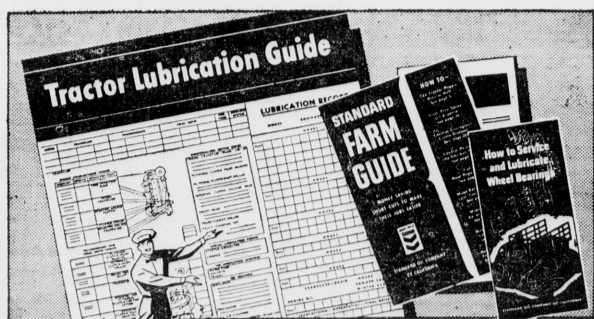
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Birthday Party For Betty Gonzales

A festive birthday party was given last Tuesday for Betty Gonzales by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gonzales of Decoto, in her honor on her 11th birthday.

Celebrating with her were 18 of her school friends including Rita, Evelyn and Fred Sanches, Ralph and Frances Martinez, Mary Jane Lopez, Frankie Milina, Clarence Souza, Dick Garcia, Rene Delgado, Rosalind Costa, Betty Enos, Barbara Enos, Raymond and Raoul Oretoca, Anita Garcia, Jimmie Costa, and Marie Gonzales.

Mrs. Leontine Costa and Mrs. Jessie Sanches assisted Mrs. Gonzales with arrangements.

Roses Visit In Carmel

When Miss Evelyn Rose left last Saturday for two weeks in Carmel she left the Rosebud Beauty Shop in the capable hands of Mrs. Abbie Borne of Oakland.

Miss Rose will spend the vacation with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Alvin Rose, also of Niles.

Mrs. Borne works three days a week at the Masonic Home in Niles where she dresses hair.

Oliveras Vacation At Mill Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Olivera and daughter Jean of Niles, with their guest, Ada Musgrove, returned last Saturday from a four-day holiday in Mill Valley.

Miss Olivera visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Olivera of Gilroy, during the first part of her week's vacation from the Kimber Poultry Breeding Farm in Niles.

Olivera works for the Pacific Coast Aggregates of Niles.

Guests at Bendel Home

Colonel C. S. Bendel, brother of Roland Bendel, was a Sunday guest at the Bendel home in Niles. The Bendels are looking forward to the arrival of Mrs. Robert Corwin (Jane Stanhope) who will be their house guest next week.

Visitors From Byron

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krumland, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Anna Bradford, were week-end visitors at Mrs. Bradford's home in Niles. Their home is in Byron. All attended the funeral of Mrs. Bradford's uncle, William Bock, who died in Hayward.

At Santa Cruz

Mrs. Angie Roderick of Niles spent a four day vacation in Santa Cruz last week with her two daughters, Janice and Shirley Ann. Miss Janice Roderick returned to her job last Monday at the Friden Calculating Company in San Leandro.

Five Years Old

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Quartaroli of Niles gave a birthday party for their daughter Eileen, who was 5 years old last Wednesday.

Guests included Dawn, Diane, and Susan Tuana, Sharon Franco, David Quartaroli, Arnold Bellini Jr., John McGowan Jr., and Gary Freitas, all of Niles.

Mrs. E. A. Groves Jr. was hostess on Wednesday at a bridge luncheon. Enjoying her hospitality were Mesdames Warren Gravestock, Lloyd Bailey, Blake Hill, Donald Hagen, Holt Atherton, Dwight Thornburg and Robert Moore.

Mrs. Fern Mitte Receives Good News

Two pieces of good news were relayed to Mrs. Fern Mitte recently, both of them concerning her sons. One son, S/Sgt. Harry Green, is home from Honolulu, waiting at Camp Beale for discharge from the Army.

A former instructor at San Francisco State College, he served as an historian for the Army Air Corps during his three years of service. He will soon join his wife at Sacramento, where she is supervisor of English in the Sacramento schools.

Another son of Mrs. Mitte, Marshall Green, has just received a fine promotion at the Bank of America in Richmond. He is now assistant to the chief operations of the bank. His wife and their two sons, Everett and Donald, are now guests at the Mitte home, where they will spend a month.

Belshaws Visit In Berkeley

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belshaw of Centerville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sobey in their home near the University of California campus in Berkeley last Sunday.

Sobey is in the maintenance department at the University, while his wife teaches home-making at the El Cerrito high school.

Vacation in Niles

Miss Evanna Olson of Niles will spend her two-weeks vacation in Niles at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Helen Olson, whose husband is overseas.

Miss Olson is an employee of the Caterpillar Tractor Company in San Leandro.

Proud Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Will Winters of Niles became the parents of a 10-pound, 12-ounce girl Thursday, August 2, in the San Jose General Hospital. Mrs. Winters will return to her home next week with the baby who has been named Judy Mary.

The couple have lived in Niles for two years and are natives of Nebraska. Winters works in Alameda.

Guest at Re Home

Mrs. A. Lippi of San Francisco will leave this Sunday after spending a week as house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Re and family of Niles.

Her husband plans to drive to Niles next Sunday and the couple will return in the evening.

MR. DAVID JACOBSEN ANNOUNCES SERMON TOPIC

Mr. David Jacobsen of the Irvington Community Church has announced as the topic of his sermon this Sunday, "Prayer: the Soul's Sincere Desire."

"Prayer," says Mr. Jacobsen, "must be the expression of your whole will and not just a part of your will. E. Stanley Jones, the famous missionary from India, said 'Prayer is not a luxury; it is life. The request must be backed by you or the answer cannot be backed by God.'"

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House Warming In Oakland

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ruben have planned a house party tomorrow evening when they will move into their new home in Oakland. The couple have been the house guests of her mother, Mrs. Marianne Pine of Niles, since their return last Tuesday from a business trip in Seattle.

Guests at the house-warming will include Mrs. Marianne Pine, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pine, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pine, all of Niles.

Rosekrans Give Steak Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. David Rosekrans featured steak at a dinner party given at their Canyon Heights home last Saturday.

Guests were shown home movies by Rosekrans, who had taken most of the pictures himself. The list included Mr. and Mrs. Donald Flagg of Oakland, Mrs. Betty Springer of Vallejo, Mr. and Mrs. William Cavannah and Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Mohn of Niles.

Recovering From Injury

After undergoing treatment last Friday, Mrs. David Janeiro of Decoto is recovering from a shoulder injury suffered in a fall several months ago.

She is the wife of David Janeiro, custodian of the Decoto grammar school.

Acquire Tan

Mr. and Mrs. Tony DeValle of Warm Springs spent a week in the Santa Cruz mountains recently acquiring a tan while loafing in the sun. They both reported to their jobs Monday, he in Oakland and she at the Naval Redistribution Center in Irvington.

DECOTO NEWS

By ELSA WALKER

The Decoto Discussion Group met Thursday, August 2, for their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Amy Brown.

The hostess had arranged a very lovely table, with a striking centerpiece of wine dahlias and pale blue plumbago harmonizing richly with the mauve tones of the dishes. The luncheon featured fresh tender vegetables and crisp salads from the victory garden and was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Brown was assisted in serving by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lewallen and by Mrs. Katherine Goulart.

This was the drama meeting of the year and was in charge of Mrs. Campagna, the former Anna Mae Escobar. The Corn is Green, formerly starring Ethel Barrymore and Harriet, starring Helen Hayes, were discussed at this time. The plays as seen on the stage and as literature were the topics and the general opinion was that Harriet lacked dramatic technique. Mrs. Campagna was presented with a gift of four Sunset books by the group.

This meeting completed the year's work and the next meeting, a study of the opera Il Trovatore, in charge of Mrs. Marguerite Crane, will be the first meeting of the 1945-46 program. Miss Cecilia Janeiro will be hostess.

Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Alderson of the Oakland office were present

after missing two meetings. Mrs. Lewallen and Mrs. Fred Duffie of Niles were guests.

The Decoto Pinochle Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watkins Saturday evening, August 4.

High score was won by Harold Wallace with Ethel Avilla and Edward Mara coming in second and third. Charles Brown was very happy over the booby prize.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and home made cake were served by Mrs. Watkins, assisted by Mrs. Mara and Mrs. Costa.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lewallen have moved back to the Bay area from Grant's Pass, Oregon, and will make their home in Oakland. Mrs. Lewallen is a sister of Charles Brown of Decoto.

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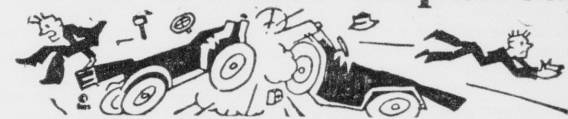
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13—Frank Hawks flies from Los Angeles to N. Y. in 12 hrs., 25 min., 1930.

14—Roosevelt and Churchill proclaim "Atlantic Charter," 1941.

15—Will Rogers and Wiley Post killed in plane crash in Alaska, 1935.

16—First gold discovered in Bonanza Creek, Alaska, 1896.

17—Ship Registry Bill passed by U. S. Senate, 1914.

18—Virginia Dare, first child born in America of English parents, 1587.

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The full names and places of residence of all the members of said partnership are as follows:

JOHN E. EDWARDS, 501 Second Street, Niles, California.

RHEA S. EDWARDS, 501 Second Street, Niles, California.

C. W. CHRYSLER, Canyon Heights, Niles, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 6th day of July, 1945.

JOHN E. EDWARDS
RHEA S. EDWARDS
C. W. CHRYSLER

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) ss.
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA)

On this 6th day of July, 1945, before me, E. A. Quaresma, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared JOHN E. EDWARDS, RHEA S. EDWARDS, and C. W. CHRYSLER, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Seal) E. A. QUARESMA
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Spl. Thomas J. Boggini, who served over there, and has been in the U.S. Army for two years, returned to his home in Livermore last week. He came to the Mission to see his mother, Mrs. Sara Boggini and sister Josephine Fernandez and family on Sunday. He will have thirty-two days leave and then will go east for further training before more duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGinley and daughter Miss Josephine McGinley of San Jose, spent Sunday here at the home of Miss Abbie Sunderer, sister of Mrs. McGinley. Miss Josephine is employed at the U.S. Postoffice of that city. During the week Miss Sunderer entertained Mrs. Hattie Mann of Palo Alto, a former resident and owner of what is now the "Bailey Rancho" for many years. She visited a number of her old time friends returning to her home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew J. Silva have gone to Colorado to finish up some business in preparation to making their home in the Mission. Mr. Silva, a newly discharged world war veteran, with thirty months in the Pacific area, was a resident of our town before his induction. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Silva, have been farmers here for many years and are caring for the Matt Silvas son while they are gone.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Fletcher are new residents of the Mission, making their home at the T. D. Witherly estate at Linda Vista Park. They have purchased an acreage from the Dominican Convent near our fire house and are going to build and operate a new greenhouse. That has been Mr. Fletcher's business for some time. They intend to build their home on the property as well as the greenhouse and nursery.

It seems that the Mission firemen have been having some fast calls

on grass fires lately. Around one o'clock last Thursday morning they were called out to control a fire caused by the overturning of a highway flare on the new section of road between Warm Springs and the Mission. Next morning Mrs. Sloan came rushing up and turned in the alarm. She had been burning weeds and it got out of control and burned a huge section of her prune orchard. It was headed for the house, but the boys brought the fire under control before it did any damage there. Later that day another grass fire was put out near the Brackendorf residence.

Mrs. Stuart McClure, wife of Lt. Stuart McClure, with the teaching staff in the occupation army "over there," has arrived in the Mission to make her home for a while. She is with Mrs. Margaret Moore McClure and the Arthur Moores at the Peak Meadow ranch for the summer.

Mrs. Havanna McNemar has been laid up for several weeks with an infected foot caused from running a rusty nail into it. It seemed to be getting along fine, but got sore and she had to go to the doctor. He lanced it and found a bit of her stocking had been pushed into the opening when the nail went in. She is getting along fine now.

Lt. Cyrus J. Solon of the U. S. Marines aboard a merchant marine ship, returned to his home here over night one day last week to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus A. Solon. He went to Seattle for a couple of weeks and his wife, Phyllis, who is employed at Dibble General Hospital, went along. He returns to sea duty following a rest period.

M/Sgt. M. A. McMillan, veteran of many months in all the campaigns of North Africa, Sicily, France and Germany, as an aerial photographer, has returned to the U. S. and spent several days of his furlough at the home of his in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Enright, here in the Mission. He will

return to duty shortly, teaching new recruits the finer things about aerial photography.

Miss Margaret Parks, S/N at the Franklin Hospital in San Francisco, spent the week-end here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lois Justus. On Saturday morning Tommy took his trusty deer rifle and meandered off into the hills back of the Mission, and before long he was "very lucky" in getting his deer, a 90-pound two-pointer, just back of the Hidden Valley ranch near Mission Peak. The young folks and Mrs. Justus and A. M. M. Glenn Bottenberg, a guest at the Justus home, went to Hidden Valley Saturday evening for dinner and dancing. Tom, Ruth and Diane spent Sunday at his parents' home.

Friends of Mrs. Cassie Witherly, former resident of the Mission, will be interested to know a bit about her boys in service. S/Sgt. Neddie Witherly is at Camp Adair, Oregon, following his transfer from Hawaii. Lt. Dexter Witherly is with the occupation army in Germany, and Richard is at Tonapah, Nevada, spent Sunday at his parents' home.

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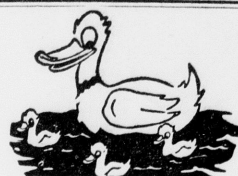
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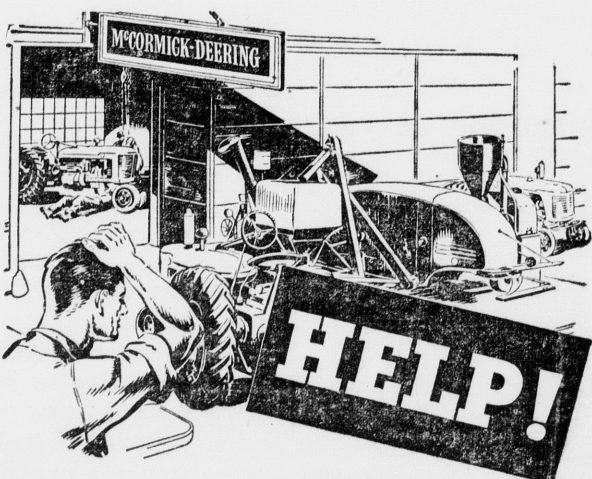
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